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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Kinning et al.

Serial No. : 09/355,601

Filed : July 30, 1999

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Art Unit : 1714

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NOTICE OF APPEAL

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the action dated March 1, 2002, finally rejecting claims 1-20, 26-28, 31-35.

A petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR §1.136 to extend the time to respond to the final rejection for 3 month(s) to and including September 1, 2002 is filed on even date herewith. Due to September 1, 2002 falling on a Sunday, and September 2, 2002 being a Federal Holiday, this Notice of Appeal is considered timely filed today, September 3, 2002.

A check in the amount of \$320 for the appeal fee is enclosed. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Correspondence relating to this application is enclosed.

1. Petition For Three-Month Extension of Time (1 pg.) along with a check in the amount of \$920.00; and
2. Notice of Appeal (1 pg.) along with a check in the amount of \$320.00.

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